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Uniform excellent quality for over a quarter of a century has steadily increased the sales of LION COFFEE.

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### Lion Coffee

is now used in millions of homes. Such popular success speaks for itself. It is a positive proof that LION COFFEE has the confidence of the people.

The uniform quality of LION COFFEE survives all opposition. LION COFFEE keeps its old friends and makes new ones every day.

**LION COFFEE** has even more than its Strength, Flavor and Quality to command it. On arrival from the plantation, it is carefully roasted at our factories and securely packed in 1 lb. sealed packages, and not opened again until needed for use in the home. This precludes the possibility of adulteration or contact with germs, dirt, dust, insects or unclean hands. The absolute purity of LION COFFEE is therefore guaranteed to the consumer.

Sold only in 1 lb. packages. Lion-head on every package. Save these Lion-heads for valuable premiums.

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## SOME GOOD THINGS

### AT THE MODEL.

Ko-We-Ba, California Canned Goods

California White Cherries.....	25
Pitted Red Cherries.....	30
Peeled Apricots.....	25
Bartlett Pears.....	25
Sliced Lemon Cling Peaches.....	25
White Heath Peaches, sliced in halves.....	25
Canned Strawberry Preserves.....	25
Sliced and Grated Pineapples.....	25
Asparagus.....	20 and 30
Green Lima Beans.....	15
Baby Stringless Beans.....	15 and 20
Sifted June Peas.....	15
Every can guaranteed.	

## The Model Grocery.

### THE REPUBLICAN

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#### DAILY

one Year.....	\$5.00
6 Months.....	2.50
3 Months.....	1.25
one Month.....	.45
one Week.....	.10
WEEKLY	
one Year in Advance.....	\$1.00

SATURDAY DEC. 16, 1905.

IT is a significant fact that among the boys who were committed to the Jeffersonville reformatory last year more than eight per cent could neither read nor write, and that either reading or writing was a difficult task for more than forty-five per cent.

SENATOR BEVERIDGE has been placed on the committee on Foreign Relations one of the most important of the senate committees. He is peculiarly well fitted for this new assignment because of his knowledge gained through travel.

ABOUT all the power the interstate commerce commission has now is to declare a violation of the law. Beyond that it is impotent. What is needed now is somebody or some power to see that the law is observed; some power to enforce the law.

IT is apparent now that the president is to have his way with congress to a greater degree than most persons predicted a few months ago. This recalls the predictions made when he first entered public life. His opponents said he was not a practical politician, but who among them has been so successful in politics.

JOSEPH THROOP, of Paoli, has announced his candidacy for republican chairman of the third congressional district. It is said that he will, if elected, support Jas. P. Goodrich for state chairman for a fourth term. But it is also said that there are many republicans in the district who believe that it would be best for the party to follow its well defined policy of rotation in office and elect a new state chairman, therefore they hope to see a candidate against Mr. Throop.

## TRACTION TALK.

The L. & I. Company Now Ready To Begin Building This Way.

The Louisville & Southern Indiana Traction Company, with headquarters in New Albany, late Wednesday afternoon closed a deal for the purchase of the Jeffersonville City Railway lines owned by Hamilton Duffy, of Jeffersonville. The terms of the sale were not given out. This places the company in a position to commence work on the proposed line from Jeffersonville to Utica, and it is announced that work on that line will be commenced at once.

The deal just closed places the traction company in possession of the street railway lines of Jeffersonville and New Albany, the Highland electric line and the interurban line connecting Louisville, New Albany and Jeffersonville.

The Louisville & Southern Indiana people are behind the company which was incorporated in the fall to build a road from Jeffersonville to Seymour. The connecting link from this city to Seymour will be constructed by the Irwins and this will give a straight traction route between Indianapolis and Louisville—Columbus Republican.

## FOR DEFENDANT.

Verdict in Jackson County Case at Columbus.

Thursday's Columbus Republican says:

"The case of Jacob L. Bridges against the De Huer & Swain Lumber Company is being tried in circuit court here today. The case was brought to this county from Jackson on a change of venue. Bridges demands \$5,000 damages for personal injuries alleged to have been received through the negligence of the lumber company, he having lost some fingers while working in the company's saw mill at Crothersville. The case has brought out a strong array of legal talent on both sides, the plaintiff being represented by Seba Barnes and J. A. Cox, of Seymour, and Hord & Cox, of this city, while the defense is represented by Carl Wood and Joseph Shea, of Seymour, and Charles S. Baker, of this city. The case went to the jury before noon Saturday and in a short time agreed on a verdict for the defendant company. The REPUBLICAN was unable to learn any particulars by telephone.

### Horse Stolen.

Homer Williams, east of Elizabethtown, had a valuable horse, saddle, lap robe and bridle stolen from his stable some time Thursday night. Postal cards giving description of horse have been sent out, but so far nothing has been heard. A reward of \$25 is offered for recovery of the outfit. The horse was a bay, four years old, thin mane, white spot in forehead sixteen hands high, with a saddle mark.

### Boiler Flue Burst.

The electric lights were out for an hour and a half last night and for a reason that could not be foreseen. One of the flues in the big boiler at the power plant burst and put that boiler out of service. The reserve boilers were fired up as quickly as possible and the machinery started again. The trouble was annoying but no such a breakdown was anticipated by the men in charge of the plant.

### Pipe Dream.

An actor of the name of John Griffith told an audience in Macon, Mo., that Shakespeare's "King Richard the Third" was the greatest pipe dream ever spun by this gifted author. Shakespeare's warmest admirers may realize by declaring that "King Richard" is the only play credited to Shakespeare that was written by Bacon.—Star.

### How's This?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure F. J. CHENY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheny for the last 25 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

### WALDING, BINNAN & MARIN,

Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c, per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

### Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

American Association for Advancement of Science—New Orleans La. For the above occasion the B. & O. W. will sell tickets to New Orleans, La., and return at one fare plus 25 cents. Date of sale Dec. 26, 27 and 28th. Good to return no later than Jan. 4, 1906. C. C. FREY, Agent.

## BURIED ALIVE.

Former Brownstown Editor Caught By a Cave-In.

A special dispatch from Muncie says "Word has reached here of the death, several days ago, in Kansas, of Dewees H. Runneals, for several years editor of the Advocate, a weekly newspaper published in Albany, Delaware county. A letter received here says he was caught by the cave in of a cellar at his home, and was literally buried alive. After disposing of the Advocate to a stock company, several months ago, Runneals went to Liberty Ind., where he was connected with a newspaper a short time before he departed for Kansas. A wife and three children survive. He was forty years old.

Mr. Runneals started the Brownstown Republican about five years ago and spent a few months there though he never moved his family to Brownstown. He sold out to a man from Covington who came and looked the field over and then decided to discontinue the paper. Runneals will be remembered well by the Brownstown people.

### Art Lecture.

The lecture given at the Presbyterian church last evening was considered by many who attended the best of the course. Increased appreciation of art and art lectures is evidenced by the growth in the number of those who have been present at the several numbers of this series. Mr. Fulton has given to the people of Seymour the result of many years of research in the study of art and his lectures have proved most beneficial to all who have heard him.

### Patrons Protesting.

Patrons of the Citizens Telephone at Columbus are circulating a petition protesting against the increase of rates to subscribers which will go into effect January 1. The signers of the petition declare over their signatures that they will "not pay one penny of increase of rental of phone" and demand that the phones be removed from their residences and business places unless the rates charged remain as they now are. The petition is being circulated in each ward.

### Crowd of Shoppers.

There was a big crowd of people on the streets and in the stores today. They were here to see and buy Christmas goods. Our advice is to look after your purchases early. Do not wait until the last day.

### Calendar Sale.

Our annual sale of 1906 sample designs is now on. If you want a beautiful calendar for 1906 or if you want a handsome picture, look over our line and select. See display in windows. They cost only a few cents each.

A Company of eighteen American Telegraph and Telephone Company men are here and will be in this vicinity over Sunday looking after the company's lines.

### OUR CHURCHES.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Corner of Fourth and Poplar. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Senior Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. You have a cordial invitation to attend any or all of our services.

### HARLEY JACKSON, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Morning subject: "Giving the Best." Evening 7 o'clock, "The Leader of the World."

Sabbath school 9:15 a. m., Young People's meeting 6 p. m.

### REV. G. W. SHIELDS, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Southwest corner of Walnut and Tipton streets. Preaching every Sabbath. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:00 p. m. B. Y. P. U. meeting Sunday evening at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All are made cordially welcome.

### REV. AUSTIN B. CONRAD, Pastor.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Corner Ewing and Third street. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth League 6:00 p. m. Preaching at 7:00 p. m.

### H. H. ALLEN, Pastor.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:15 p. m.

### C. E. SEVERINGHAUS, pastor.

HOLINESS CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

On Ewing street, between Second and Third streets. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:30 a. m., 3:00 p. m. and 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting on Tuesday and Friday nights at 7:00 p. m. All will be made welcome. Rev. E. Inniss, pastor.

EVNG. PROT. ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Northeast corner of Walnut and Tipton. Morning service at 10:15 a. m. Sunday school 9:00 a. m. Evening service first Sunday in month English third Sunday in month German, at 7:00. Christian Endeavor every Sunday evening at 6:15 p. m.

### REV. A. EGGL, Pastor.

Home of Swamp-Root.

## The Food Value of a Soda Cracker

You have heard that some foods furnish fat, other foods make muscle, and still others are tissue building and heat forming.

You know that most foods have one or more of these elements, but do you know that no food contains them all in such properly balanced proportions as a good soda cracker?

The United States Government report shows that soda crackers contain less water, are richer in the muscle and fat elements, and have a much higher per cent of the tissue building and heat forming properties than any article of food made from flour.

That is why **Uneeda Biscuit** should form an important part of every meal. They represent the superlative of the soda cracker, all their goodness and nourishment being brought from the oven to you in a package that is proof against air, moisture and dust—the price being too small to mention.

### NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY



### We Will blot out the Past.

And commence all new with this Christmas. Santa Claus knows where to get **BEST CHRISTMAS STATIONERY** and comes to us every time to make his purchases. We have blotting pads, ink wells, pens, blotters, paper cutters, writing pads, blank books and everything one wants in the stationery line. Some are specially for presentation. Inspect and buy something.

**Miller's Book Store, 20 W., Second St**

### Stock Show Excursions to Chicago via Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets to Chicago will be sold via Pennsylvania lines December 16, 17, 18 and 19, at one first-class fare plus \$1.00 for the round trip, account International Live Stock Exposition. For full information regarding fares, return limit of tickets, etc., consult local ticket agent Pennsylvania lines.

J. M. CLARK, Agent.

### Grip Quickly Knocked Out.

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of la grippe with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Egleston of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, aiding the same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grippe." These tablets promote a healing action of the bowels, liver and kidneys which is always beneficial when the system is congested by a cold or attack of the grippe.

For full particulars call local ticket agent Pennsylvania lines.

Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble, others due to childhood troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

**Holiday Excursions Via Pennsylvania Lines.**

December 23, 24, 25, 30, 31 and January 1 are the dates on which excursion tickets may be obtained to try station on the Pennsylvania lines for Christmas and New Year holiday trips.

These tablets promote a healing action of the bowels, liver and kidneys which is always beneficial when the system is congested by a cold or attack of the grippe.

For full particulars call

# HOLIDAY THOUGHTS

Almost everyone is thinking about buying something for Christmas. Men care but little for fanciful gifts, but appreciate things useful and practical. As usual we have the

## CORRECT STYLES OF FINE READY-TO-WEAR SUITS AND OVERCOATS.

Swell creations of Neckwear and Mufflers, Domestic and imported Gloves, Fine Fur Gloves, all qualities of Handkerchiefs. Special line of Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas. We will appreciate a look whether you buy or not.

### THE HUB

Toilet Cases from .....	65c to \$10.00
Books from .....	12½c to 1.50
Pictures from .....	10c to 10.00
Box Stationery from .....	5c to 1.50
Fountain Pens from .....	50c to 7.00
Hand Mirrors, Shell Novelties, Collar and Cuff Boxes, Albums, Bibles.	

### AT T. R. CARTER'S

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Eaton-Hurlbut's  
Fine  
Stationery.

Always appropriate for Christmas presents and always appreciated. There is no stationery made that is in better taste than Eaton-Hurlbut's

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**Leaders  
This Week.**

Pure Country Lard ..... 10c  
Best Flour ..... 57c  
20 pounds Gran. Sugar 1.00  
Clay Potatoes ..... 70c  
Apple Butter 3 lb ..... 25c

**HOOSIER  
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**HOLLISTER'S  
Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets**

A Busy Medicine for Busy People.

Brings Quick Health and Renewed Vigor.

A Remedy for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Simple Ecchymosis, Headache, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache in Backache, It's Rocky Mountain Tea "tab-

et form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by

HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

**GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLY PEOPLE.**

**WEATHER INDICATIONS.**

CHICAGO, Ill., December 16, 1905.

Fair tonight and Sunday.

See J. C. Hill for coal. d1f

We have a splendid line of holiday

resets. J. G. LAUPUS, Jeweler.

Christmas presents for young and old at Richards.

Christmas cigars, fine pipes and a

full line of smoker's articles at F. H.

ates'.

John A. Ross is having two more

ice rooms finished over his shoe

store which are to be occupied by Dr.

Osterman. They will make excel-

lent office rooms.

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### PERSONAL.

E. H. Bosse, of Columbus, was here today.

W. C. Sumner went to Edinburgh this morning.

Mrs. Will Murray spent today at Columbus.

J. J. Peter returned this morning from Louisville.

Thos. Jones transacted business at Brownstown today.

Lynn Faulkner was a passenger north this morning.

Mrs. John Morrison is reported slightly better today.

W. W. Isaacs, County treasurer, was here this morning.

Miss Dorothy Sandau went to Indianapolis this morning.

Mrs. Wm. Everhart and children went to Cincinnati this morning.

Mrs. J. B. Perkhiser was an east bound passenger this morning.

Henry Bruning came up from Brownstown on No. 4 this morning.

Mrs. James Cole and daughter, Margery, spent the day at Cincinnati.

Mrs. Will Mount returned this morning from a visit with relatives at Heger.

Miss Verna Carr went to Austin this morning to spend some time with relatives.

S. A. Barnes, Clyde J. Roach and Carl Wood returned to Columbus this morning.

C. E. Wood came down from Columbus last evening and returned this morning.

Miss Jessie Murphy came up from Mitchell this morning to spend the day with friends.

Architect Elmer E. Dunlap was down from Columbus today looking after his contracts.

Miss Frieda Hall went to Browns-

town this morning to visit relatives for several days.

Miss Mary Falk, of Brownstown, is spending several days here with her aunt, Mrs. Bee Well.

Miss Mary Ewbank returned this morning to her home at Lawrenceburg after visiting here with Mrs. W. J. Lytle.

Mrs. Alex House returned this morning to her home at Brownstown after spending last evening at Colum-

bus.

Geo. Anderson went to Cottage City this morning to accept a position as telegraph operator in the railroad office.

Miss Cleona Bennett came up from New Albany this morning to spend several days with her grandmother, Mrs. Green.

Miss Lillian Whicker returned this morning to her home at Crothersville after visiting relatives here for several days.

Mrs. Fred Keeler returned this morning to her home at Jeffersonville after visiting with her father near Dudleytown.

Mrs. John Thompson returned yes-

terday afternoon to her home at Jones-

ville after spending several days here with Mrs. Mary Bridges.

John W. Ragsdale, president of the

Citizens National Bank, of Franklin,

was here between trains today and

called on a few of his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hall returned

this morning to their home at Lawrence-

burg after visiting relatives here and

attending the Grange meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hendrickson, of

Ripley county, who have been visiting

friends here, went to Seymour this

morning. —Columbus Republican.

Mrs. Thilda Martin returned this

morning to her home at Manchester

having been here to visit friends

and attend the meetings of the Grange.

Mrs. James Honan and little grand-

daughter, Mary Louise, and T. M.

Honan, went to Indianapolis this

morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jerome

Keene.

Ed Kraut, the assistant manager of

the Sun Brothers' Shows, was the

guest of W. P. Rooney last night.

The show closes the season at Sa-

vanah Georgia, Christmas night.

Mrs. A. C. Miller arrived Friday

afternoon from Sarcoxia, Missouri,

and spent last night with Miss Atle

Postlewaita. She went to Sellers-

burg this morning to visit relatives

d21d CORDES HARDWARE CO.

Perfumes in new and elegant pack-

ages at Cox's Pharmacy.

Fine umbrellas, mufflers, gloves,

and ties at Richards.

Candies from 6 to 60c a lb. at

Dunn's Confectionery.

Just received an eastern line of

handkerchiefs from 5c. to 75c. Call

and see them at the Ideal. d20dwly

Teachers and Sunday Schools will

find the best and cheapest supply of

candies, nuts and fruits at F. H.

Gates.

Do you know of any thing more

wholesome and useful to buy the lady

of the house for Christmas than a

Universal Coffee Percolator, makes

coffee by Hygine process, free from

tannic acid and recommended by your

physician. Sold by

CORDES HARDWARE CO.

Hooley's Specials.

2-3 lb. cans of lycopodium ..... \$ 15

2-3 lb. pumpkins ..... 12 15

25 lbs. granulated sugar ..... 12 25

1-5 lb. box Union Oats ..... 20

6 bars Fels Naptha soap ..... 25

2 cans table peaches ..... 25

